

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Christophe COLIGNON**

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For: **A SYSTEM FOR PURGING SULFATE FROM A NOX TRAP FOR A MOTOR  
VEHICLE ENGINE**

Attorney Docket Number: **LAV0313827**

Customer Number: **29980**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 27, 2007

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Title begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.